

Professor Ronald Deibert Director, The Citizen Lab Munk School of Global Affairs University of Toronto

Re: You Letter Dated November 29, 2017

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